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SUBJECT: MESSAGE FROM SOMOZA TO PRESIDENT FORD REGARDING
ASSASSINATION ATTEMPT

1. PLEASE TRANSMIT THE FOLLOWING MESSAGE FROM PRESIDENT
FORD TO PRESIDENT SOMOZA. BEGIN QUOTE:

DEAR MR. PRESIDENT: THANK YOU FOR YOUR THOUGHTFUL MESSAGE
ON THE RECENT INCIDENT IN SACRAMENTO. YOUR KIND EXPRESSION
OF CONCERN FOR MY WELFARE IS DEEPLY APPRECIATED. SINCERELY,
GERALD R. FORD. END QUOTE.

2. FYI. FOLLOWING IS TEXT OF SOMOZA MESSAGE:

EXCELENTISIMO SENOR GERALD M. FORD PRESIDENTE DE LOS
ESTADOS UNIDOS DE AMERICA WASHINGTONDC DESEO EXPRESAR MI
MAS HONDA SATISFACCION POR FRUSTRACION DEL ATENTADO CONTRA
LA VIDA DE VUESTRA EXCELENCIA SENTIMIENTOS QUE COMPARTO
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CON EL PUEBLO NICARAGUENSE REPUDIANDOLO EXPRESAMENTE

PUNTO FORMULO VOTOS POR LA CONTINUACION DE GESTION
ADMINISTRATIVA PATRIOTICA DE VUESTRA EXCELENCIA REITERAN-
DOLE LAS SEGURIDADES DE MI CONSIDERACION Y APRECIO
ANASTASIO SOMOZA PRESIDENTE DE NICARAGUA.

3. DEPARTMENT HAS NO PLANS TO RELEASE BUT HAS NO OBJECTION
IF RECIPIENT DOES SO. KISSINGER

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